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On October 1, 2004, Applicants submitted a response to an Office Action dated July 1, 2004. Applicants submit herewith a translation of one of the references cited in the July 1, 2004 Office Action, along with various remarks.

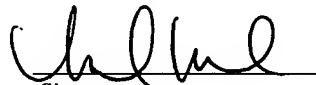
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